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Colonel James M. Miller
District Engineer
U.S. Army Engineer District
Chicago
219 South Dearborn Street
Chicago, Illinois 60604

Dear Colonel Miller:

This letter refers to Public Notice NCCOD-P 4427402, dated July 2, 1974, regarding an application by United States Steel Corporation for a permit to dredge at two locations and riprap at one site at the South Works Plant, Chicago, Illinois.

These comments have been prepared in accordance with provisions of the Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act (48 Stat. 401, as amended; 16 U.S.C. 661 et seq.) and are consistent with the intent of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969.

We have no objections to the issuance of the permit provided the following conditions are stipulated:

1. Construction material entering the water be retrieved.
2. Non-revetted portions of banks disturbed during dredging and construction be regraded and stabilized.

Sincerely,

Charles A. Hughlett
Acting Regional Director

bc: U.S. EPA, Federal Activities Branch, Chicago ✓
Director, Illinois Environmental Protection Agency, Springfield
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Director, Indiana Department of Natural Resources, Indianapolis
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